

## **MENTORING SESSION #10**

Name of Protégé \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Mentor \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Session \_\_\_\_\_

“[The chaplain] shall be required to report to the colonel commanding the regiment... the moral and religious condition of the regiment and such suggestions as may be conducive to social happiness and moral improvement of the troops.” Federal Statute of  
July 22, 1861

### **PROFESSIONAL:**

**Core area of focus:** Leadership  
**Subject:** Stewardship of the wing commander's religious program  
**Bring to the session:** Wing Commander's Staff Roster

- 1) Share your perception of what the wing commander's greatest challenges are in the wing.
- 2) Share your perception of how the wing commander views the chapel staff and programs in the overall scheme of accomplishing the base/unit mission.
- 3) Review the local chain of command. Discuss the importance of following the chain of command. Discuss general areas of friction that can occur when the chain of command is not used.
- 4) Schedule a time to introduce the chaplain to the wing commander or invite the wing commander to address the staff.
- 5) Discuss the importance of cultivating healthy working relationships with Air Force leaders. Discuss how line officers are trained to be tomorrow's Air Force leaders. Discuss the importance of involvement in the Company Grade Officer Council (e.g. meeting peers who will be tomorrow's leaders).
- 6) Discuss the chaplain's role in advising the commanders.

### **PERSONAL:**

Are you comfortable working within the military's hierarchical system?

NEXT SESSION DATE and TIME: